

PRACTICE

1 Complete the paragraph with the Present simple or Present continuous form of the verb in brackets.

James Keen is a taxi driver from Windsor, near London.

He ¹ _____ (work) six days a week, fifty weeks a year. Today – Red Nose Day – he ² _____ (drive) his taxi as usual, but he ³ _____ (raise) money for Comic Relief at the same time.

'I usually ⁴ _____ (give) something to Comic Relief, but this year I ⁵ _____ (want) to do something more. I ⁶ _____ (wear) a red wig and a Red Nose Day T-shirt: and my taxi ⁷ _____ (have) a Red Nose on the front. But today I ⁸ _____ (ask) all my customers to pay £1 extra for Red Nose Day!'

2a Choose the correct answers.

- 1 *Are you learning / Do you learn* to drive at the moment?
- 2 How many languages *do you speak / are you speaking*?
- 3 *Are you liking / Do you like* football?
- 4 *Do you read / Are you reading* fashion magazines?
- 5 *Are you playing / Do you play* any sport?
- 6 *Do you wear / Are you wearing* trainers today?
- 7 How *are you usually coming / do you usually come* to class?
- 8 *Do you usually study / Are you usually studying* at the weekend?
- 9 *Are you looking / Do you look* for a job at the moment?
- 10 *Are you knowing / Do you know* how to play chess?